

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

BILLS amounting to \$7,336.02 and the weekly pay-roll, \$3,080, were ordered paid yesterday at the meeting of the Waterworks Trustees.

Time for getting the five per cent. discount on water bills expired yesterday. The entire receipts since the first of July amount to over \$50,000, \$10,000 of which was collected yesterday.

Dr. TAYLOR has accepted the Chair of Dentistry of the Ann Arbor (Mich.) University, and will so arrange for his lectures in the University as not to interfere with his course before the Ohio Dental College in this city.

JOE GILDER, a young man, left word at the Hammond-street Station-house, last night, that he had been robbed of a gold watch and chain by a room-mate at the boarding-house of Mrs. Burns, No. 28 Broadway, on Wednesday night.

STREET sprinklers hereafter will be required, according to a resolution adopted by the Trustees of the Waterworks yesterday afternoon, to have each cart or wagon numbered and the name of the owner of each cart painted upon them.

THE concert given by Brand's Orchestra in Burket Woods yesterday afternoon was largely attended. The program was handsomely rendered, especially the "Long Ago" from Volpi. The concerting by Canis was also a happy success.

THE total cost of a new line of twenty-inch pipe, on Third-street, from Lawrence to Central avenue; thence northward to Fourth; thence from Eighth to Findlay, in connection with a twenty-inch line now in service, will amount to \$55,533, according to the estimate of the Engineer and Superintendent of the Waterworks Board.

AN unruly bull broke from a herd, at the foot of Walnut street, yesterday afternoon and rushed into the river, followed by a dog which grabbed him by the ear. Both were drawn under the steamer City of Portsmouth. In a short time the dog swam from the rear end of the boat in an exhausted condition. The bull, however, did not appear till after two hours, when he reached the shore, stout as ever. He had been caught in the wheel of the steamer and kept a prisoner there during that time.

PETER CORCORAN and John Culbertson were out in the river yesterday afternoon catching drift logs, when the boat was swung round one of the piers of the Covington bridge. Corcoran was frightened, jumped into the river and was drowned. Culbertson, however, was thrown out of the skiff, made a dive under the steamer United States and was drawn on board by a rope that was thrown to him. The body of the drowned man has not been recovered.

CONSIDERABLE excitement was raised last evening among the passengers of a chariot from Pro's Hill, on account of the driver refusing to take them to the Post-office corner, and stopping at the intersection of Ninth and Linn streets. The passengers demanded their money back of L. E. Brown, the end of the route. The superintendent, coming up in time to prevent a breach of the peace, informed the passengers that it was behind the time of running to the Post-office, but settled the dispute by refunding their fares.

ZERUBABEL COMMANDEY No. 1, of Knights Templar, elected the following officers at their regular meeting last night: Sir Knight William A. Arndt, Eminent Commander; Sir Knight Wm. Bell, Generalissimo; Sir Knight E. W. Clark, Captain General; Sir Knight R. Ellington, S. W.; Sir Knight R. Cousins, J. W.; Sir Knight William M. Wilson, Recorder; Sir Knight W. J. Hunt, Treasurer; Sir Knight H. Cleveland, Warder; Sir Knight R. Hutton, Standard-bearer; Sir Knight S. McMillan, Sword-bearer; Sir Knight Benjamin F. Smith, Bard.

TWO of our citizens who desire to make personal application for space in the Exposition or to make personal inquiries concerning the same, are notified that the Secretary's office will remain at the Ohio Mechanics' Institute until August 31, and at that time will be moved to the Exposition buildings. The Space Committee are now preparing plans for the classification and location of goods, and as the Main Hall displays are made up largely by Cincinnati exhibitors, it is important that application should be made at once to facilitate the labors of the Committee.

**Marriage Licenses.**  
The following marriage licenses were issued since our last report:  
J. R. McConnell and Lizzie Jones.  
E. R. Cooke and Emma Plum.  
T. A. Lige and Henrietta Magge.  
Wm. H. Togg and Lizzie Eichelberger.  
Robert Rattray and Belle E. Lindsey.  
Jen. J. Lawler and Bridget Rodden.  
Wm. Back and Lizzie Apke.

**Building Permits.**  
The following permits were issued since our last report:  
Michael Leib, retaining wall on Walker Hill road, near Gees.  
Joe Griffith & Sons, repair house on high side Fifth between Main and Walnut streets, estimated cost, \$3,000.  
Jon. A. Gulick, material for 18 and 17 West Fifth street, to remodel the premises, estimated cost, \$5,000.  
R. Kemper, repair two-story brick on Broadway, below Seventh, estimated cost, \$1,700.

**Base-Ball.**  
On the Ludlow avenue grounds this afternoon, weather permitting, a game will be played at 3:30 o'clock between the Red Stockings, of St. Louis, and the Blue Stockings, of Cumminsville. There are few prospects of an interesting game. The Red Stockings and the Blue Stockings will engage in a game Saturday afternoon.

This afternoon game will be called at half past three on the Ludlow grounds, if the weather be favorable, for a match between the Ludlows and the Cincinnati Americans.

The Star baseball grounds will be the scene of a fine game, to-morrow afternoon, between the Ludlows and Stars. The Red Stockings were defeated yesterday by the Stars, the score standing three to five.

**Route No. 10 to be Completed To-day.**  
The Directors of Route No. 10 have been for a long time delayed in completing the track on the few squares south of Court and Broadway. They had an application in Council for an extension of the line, and it was decided to extend the line to Fifth. At 10 o'clock on Broadway to Fifth, at which time the delay was passed by Council. The delay on the line of the extension, the managers yesterday afternoon, construction of a curve at

Broadway and Court, so as to run cars from that point, and last night put down all the ties and stringers. To-day the route will be completed and the cars may be expected to be running on the track. It is understood that the Company made application to the stockholders for being taken in with the Consolidated Street Railroad Company, who intimated that this may be done, provided arrangements can be made with Route 13 and the stockholders of the A. V. line.

## A HEROIC DEED.

An Engineer Saves a Child's Life at the Risk of His Own.

We have heard of some brave and daring engineer or fireman, when discovering upon the track ahead of the locomotive a child at play or walking unconsciously, to get out on the pilot or catch of the locomotive, at the risk of his life, and at the proper moment snatch the child out of the jaws of death, but never within our recollection before has a case of that kind occurred in our immediate vicinity. The case was about to speak of will, for presence of mind and cool judgment, compare with any heretofore on record.

Yesterday, July 15th, the I. C. & L. Passenger train, No. 12, due at the Plum-street depot at 1:45 P. M., left Riverside on time, and by the time it reached the curve between that point and Sedamsville had attained a speed equal to that shown by the time card. When just as the curve was rounded a child, apparently 2½ or 3 years old, was discovered on the track at a distance of four or five hundred feet ahead. The engineer, Wm. Bevington, took in the situation at a glance, and reversed his engine, ordering the fireman at the same moment to take charge of the engine, while he himself prepared to, if possible, save the life of the infant.

He got on the pilot, and by the time the child was reached the speed was so reduced that at the proper moment he sprang off the pilot, grasped the child—it was but the work of a moment—swung him out of the engine outside the rail, while the engine passed on.

We regret that at this writing we have been unable to procure the names of the parents of the child or of a number of persons who were eye witnesses to this, one of the most cool and successful attempts to save a life that we have any record of. The people who saw it are most enthusiastic in their admiration of Mr. Bevington, and we are sure he well deserves it.

**What the Peorians think of Cincinnati.**

The following extract from a Peoria (Ill.) letter to the Chicago Inter-Ocean shows the feeling of the Peorians toward Cincinnati since their visit here last week:

The Board of Trade excursionists returned from Cincinnati, Saturday, highly pleased with the trip, and loud in their praises of the hospitality and courtesy of the Cincinnati people. The party, 250 strong, left here on the morning of the 6th, accompanied by Spencer's full band, and seated in a magnificent train of Pullman palace cars.

All along the route they received ovations at every station, were met with bands of music and crowds of people, and at Fairbury, where a stop for dinner was made, the Livingston House gave them a grand banquet, seating the entire party. They arrived in Cincinnati at 12 o'clock the same night, and were met at the depot by Mayor Johnston, who, with a squad of police, escorted the party to the Grand Hotel, where accommodations were furnished for the night. During their stay in the city the utmost attention and courtesy was shown our people, and the hospitality and hearty reception they there received will never be forgotten.

All the principal points of interest in and around the beautiful city of the hills were visited. One great result of this excursion has produced is the bringing of the two cities into closer relationship. The excursion party, consisting of 250 persons, and composed of the most prominent business and professional men of Peoria, was peculiarly adapted for receiving and retaining any impressions affecting such interests that might be made. By the enterprise of the Toledo, Peoria and Warsaw road, under the new management, our city is now brought in direct communication with Cincinnati and all the great commercial points in the country.

## Mortuary Record.

Wm. Doymann, 23 years, Germany.  
Margaret Alexander, 51 years, Germany.  
J. H. Redeker, 84 years, Kentucky.  
Margaret Murphy, 54 years, Ireland.  
Herman Seiler, 34 years, city.  
Infant Birger, city.  
Elizabeth Schneider, 2 years, city.  
Casper Steiker, 50 years, Germany.  
Barbara Keller, 14 years, city.  
Bakewell, 2 years, city.  
Joe S. Shipley, 2 years, city.  
John Crawford, 36 years, Pennsylvania.  
Della Dineley, 10 months, city.  
Margaret Farley, 54 years, Ireland.  
Minnie Wool, city.  
Bridget Loden, 48 years, Ireland.  
Chas. H. Hines, 3 months, city.  
Suzy J. Gibbs, 35 days, city.  
Neville Booker, city.  
Henry E. Trelling, 24 years, city.  
Geo. Arnold, 44 years, city.

"Was it just the right thing, Emily Jackson, for you to stand on your steps and yell until you aroused the whole neighborhood?" asked the court of the next prisoner.

"I was calling for my brother," she replied.

"Was any one sick?"

"No, sir."

"Or was the house on fire?"

"No, sir."

"You merely wanted to ask him if the Beedler jury had come in yet?"

"You sir?"

"Well, they have come in, and now that your anxious mind has been relieved, suppose you step around to the House of Correction for thirty days."

"I never'll go there!"

"You won't?"

"I'll not."

"I'll get a house and lot to put up on that. I make the sentence sixty days—take her away Bish!"

The janitor tucked her arm under his and walked into the corridor, and her jury was greatly increased when she found that Bish didn't affect him any, because she was chewing at his hand-kerchief instead of his tie.

When the Maria started off the boys threw Mrs. Jackson a bouquet of turnip-tops, and sang:

"She hadn't any right for her brother, she ought to have had the ball!"

And though a tale does tell her, her managers may approve, we can't tell!"

An extraordinary mania has arisen among the inhabitants of a number of villages in Western Prussia. They have firmly made up their minds that their Emperor has lost 10,000 Prussian children at cards with the Sultan, and that a large number of Turks are, in consequence, to be sent among them to kidnap their children and take them to Mecca. The school teachers are expected to be guilty to the innocent boys, and are expected to have five children promised them for every child educated. There have been reports of tumult and violence in consequence, and much trouble has been experienced in quelling the excitement. If there has been any disorder, it is not the case, as the children are not at all afraid of the Turks, and are not at all afraid of the Turks, and are not at all afraid of the Turks.

**Modes of Death.**  
A writer, referring to the modes of death of a number of distinguished historical personages, says: "Augustus Caesar closed his life in a standing position, and was careful in arranging his person and dress for the occasion. Julius Caesar, when slain by the conspirators in the Capitol, concealed his face beneath the folds of his toga, so that his enemies might not see the death-pang upon his countenance. Seward, Earl of Northumberland, when at the point of death, quitted his bed and put on his armor, saying, 'It became not a man to die like a beast.' Marie Louise, of Austria, a short time before she breathed her last, had fallen into an apparent slight slumber, and one of the ladies in attendance remarked that her Majesty seemed to be asleep. 'No,' replied she, 'I could sleep if I would indulge repose, but I am sensible of the near approach of Death, and I would not allow myself to be surprised by him in my sleep; I wish to meet him wide awake.' Lord Nelson, on receiving the shot, and to Captain Hardy, 'they have done for me at last; my backbones are shot through,' and had the presence of mind, while carried below, to take out his handkerchief and cover his face and stars, to be concealed from the gaze of his crew. And last of all, the great Bonaparte died in his field marshal's uniform, and the wound which he had received to be put on a short time previous to his dissolution.

There was an old man in the corridor—an old, old man, with long, white hair and trembling limbs. The experience of a lifetime had gone for nothing—he had been found drunk. When his Honor came in Bish whispered in his ear, and they went in to see the veteran.

"I'm sorry," said his Honor, as he laid his hand on the old man's white locks, "and I can't have you brought out there to be sneered at. You ought to be in Heaven, old man, instead of being a prisoner."

"God helping me, I won't drink again," sobbed the veteran.

"Unlock the private door, Bish, and let him out. Have you any money to cross the river, old man?"

"Not a cent."

"Here's a dollar, and I want you to go right home."

"And here's a half on top of that, and I'll help you to the ferry dock," added Bish.

"And his Honor watched the two white-haired men around the corner and whispered:

"It wasn't according to rule to pass him out, but the heart said so."

And that's his Honor and that's Bish. Symptomatically with the helpless, encouraging the unfortunate, but justice to the vicious and obstinate. Men deal as fairly by them as they deal by men.

**A New Cause of Trichina in Pork.**

Some new cases of death, due to the eating of pork infected with trichina, which are being quoted in Western journals, should be the means of directing public attention anew to the horrible disease of swine called trichinosis, and to the fact that, when once the parasite attacks a human being, the result is prolonged suffering, and in a multiplicity of instances death. The worm existing in the pork literally bores its way out of the stomach and into the muscles.

It has lately been found that swine may become infested with trichina through eating carrion, or even decayed vegetable substances; this is a point worth remembering by farmers who incline to the belief that the entire cause is in the will, or any filth about the place is legitimate food for the pig. The animal is not dainty in its tastes, and will munch off his dead relatives with infinite gusto; but it is the poorest economy to permit him to assume the role of a scavenger.

It is not a good idea to allow his nose to eat garlic if he can help it, though the brutes are crazily fond of the odoriferous weed; and there is certainly more reason for the farmer to see that his porkers have no access to unclean food. In the case, if precaution be neglected, the taste of the milk is affected; in the other the entire crop is rendered poisonous and dangerous food.

The Ottoman Museum of Antiquities of Constantinople has lately been enriched by the acquisition of two life-size statues of Roman workmanship which were found the other day in Crete and appropriated by the Turkish Government, which has added them to the collection in the Church of St. Irene, at Constantinople.

The director of the museum, these statues are chiefly interesting as monuments of the moral and intellectual decadence into which the mass of the Roman people had fallen in the days of Nero. The statues are both female figures.

A tolerably legible inscription on the pedestal of one of them labels the statue as that of Glaukia, the daughter of Nero by his second wife Poppa, who, though she lived to the age of only four months, was raised by an imperial edict to the rank of a deity, and was honored with altars and temples. The sculptor has, however, represented his subject as a patient of 17 or 18 years of age, and has endowed her with a liberal culture. The second statue is thought by Dr. Dethier to be intended for Poppa, the wife of Nero; but the inscription on the pedestal no longer exists, having been erased probably during the period of reaction against the brutality of Nero, which followed that monarch's career.

**Adventures of a Baby.**

A three-months-old baby came tumbling down the southeast corner of the Willow, opposite the Montgomery Hotel. Its mother had thrown it out, and then came tumbling after. She was frightened by the smoke issuing from a fire in the basement. The baby nearly fell into the canal. A Times reporter, Mr. G. G. Stiller, a painter, of Mount Joy, Lancaster county, was fortunate enough to "catch it on the fly." The mother was slightly bruised on the arm by her fall. The father walked down to the street by the stairway, and advised his wife to do the same the next time. "If I were your baby," said Mr. Stiller, "I would be as happy as I had found a diamond."

"I would christen it 'Firefly.' Take the advice of an old fireman. I used to belong to the Columbia Hose Company of this city, and when you are in a dense smoke fall with your face to the floor and creep along. You will then come out all right." "I hope I will never be in the same fix again," sobbed the poor woman; but the baby smiled at its catcher as if it knew he had just saved it from a broken back or perhaps death.

—Philadelphia Times.

A hot-blooded Parisian has just been sentenced to eight days' imprisonment and a fine of 100 francs for having interrupted a musical performance in the church at Notre Dame des Victoires.

He was a disappointed lover of the bride, and by way of revenge he had thrown the door of the church without missing pellets, which exploded with each movement of the bride and the bridegroom, with so much noise as to compel the organist to stop the music.

**The Modest Reporter.**

The Paris Figaro makes the following amusing story of a Parisian reporter, the pretext for a new reference to the man who swallowed a fork.

"We might call by name the reporter who, on account of his profession, is found everywhere where news is to be had, names to be mentioned, a scandal to be told, or a festival to be described. Only this reporter likes to pretend that he goes to these places by reason of curiosity or invitations and not for professional reasons. In a word, he is ashamed of his business, and dreads to betray it by taking out of his pocket, as do his brothers, the necessary note-book."

"So what does he do? He arms his right hand with a microscopic pencil, and, without seeming to do so, he writes upon his left cuff the impressions which are to serve as the canvas for his descriptive arabesques. At first his washwoman was surprised at the sight of this cuff, covered with hieroglyphics. It was a month before she understood the meaning of the text; then she became accustomed to reading the news of the week, and accounts of races, concerts, etc., upon her patron's line. She was heard to say the other evening:

"I read yesterday on the cuff of 'my journalist' that the man with the fork was much better."

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[J. J. CIST, Sec'y.]

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